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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

IN RE APPLICATION OF:

Fleming et al.

APPLICATION NO.: 09/526,910

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FOR: METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR CONTROLLING REPRODUCTION OF AN AUDIOVISUAL WORK

EXAMINER:

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Preliminary Amendment Submitted with

Continued Prosecution Application (37 C.F.R. § 1.153(d)) Technology Center 2100

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Sir:

The present communication is being filed concurrently with a Continued Prosecution Application under 37 C.F.R. § 1.153(d). Please amend the application as follows. In accordance with the revised amendment format requested in Deputy Commissioner Kunin's January 31, 2003 Notice, a complete listing of the claims pending in the application is provided. All amendments to the claims are included in the same listing and no "clean" version of the amended claims is being presented.

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